

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Tracee Eidenschink, John Peckham
Application No.:	10/728516
Filed:	December 5, 2003
For:	Detachable Segment Stent
Examiner:	Melanie Ruano Tyson
Group Art Unit:	3773

Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No.: S63.2B-11293-US01

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

This Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action dated **March 6, 2008**, and is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

If an extension of time is required to make this response timely and no separate petition is enclosed, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows: